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Water

Allegheny Front [Received 10/17] – OPEN – Enviro radio show on NPR in PA area asking about a small company and their water testing robot. Reporter states that company says EPA has been unresponsive regarding “approval” of the technology. Story will run no earlier than mid to late next week (week of 10/29). OW was not aware of this company and suggested ORD. ORD checking. Deadline 10/23.

Bloomberg [Received 10/15] – CLOSED 10/18 – Asked for help locating a 2010 economic analysis about point source discharges from the application of pesticides. Reporter located it and updated request. No story fleshed out yet or scheduled. He located what he was looking for on our website. I expect new question shortly. Deadline 10/22.

BNA [Received 10/16] – OPEN – Looking for data on the extent of the problem with algae blooms. Deadline extended to 10/18.

Christian Science Monitor [Received 10/17] – CLOSED 10/19 – Extensive questions about health of waterways for a story on the Clean Water Act with a particular focus on Lake Erie. Story went up this afternoon with EPA response. Deadline 10/17.

CQ/Roll Call [Received 10/18] – CLOSED 10/18 – Writing about API media conference call and press release regarding Pavillion. Also asked for comment regarding a letter from House subcommittee. Sent previously approved Pavillion statement. Deadline 10/18.

Des Moines Register [Received 09/21] – OPEN – Requesting interview with Administrator Jackson re: hypoxia for a series on the issue. Has interviewed Vilsack on this over the weekend. Deadline 10/19 (can go into next week).

EENews [Received 10/18] – CLOSED 10/18 -- Writing about API media conference call and press release regarding Pavillion. Sent previously approved Pavillion statement. Deadline 10/18.

Gas Daily [Received 10/18] – CLOSED 10/18 – Writing about API media conference call and press release regarding Pavillion. Story running. Reporter said he sent EPA statement to his editor to update story. Deadline 10/18.

Huffington Post [Received 10/16] – CLOSED 10/18 – Writing about arsenic regulation. Responses provided. Reviewed by OPS. Responded to follow-up question. Deadline 10/17.

International Innovation [Received 10/01] – OPEN – Requesting an email interview with AAA Stoner. Gathering more information. Deadline: Mid-November.

New York Times Mag [Received 09/27] – OPEN – Questions about aging water infrastructure and sanitation. Deadline week of 10/09.

Oil & Gas Investor [Received 10/18] – CLOSED 10/18 -- Writing about API media conference call and press release regarding Pavillion. Deadline 10/18.

OpEdNews [Received 09/26] – OPEN – Writing about the security of water systems.

Platts [Received 10/11] – OPEN – Spoke with R6 on fracking. Handling some follow ups. Deadline 10/22.

Scienceline [Received 09/20] – OPEN – Story about hexavalent chromium for student run online magazine. Extended Deadline 10/01.

Water Online [Received 09/26] – OPEN – Requesting an interview about regulatory issues live or recorded to be aired at a conference on Oct. 24. Deadline: 10/19

WUSA Channel 9 NEWS (DC) [Received 10/12] – CLOSED 10/18 – Meteorologist wants to highlight the positive impact of CWA for the 40th anniversary and new How's My Waterway app. OPS reviewed. Nancy Stoner taped interview today with the Potomac as a backdrop. Segment scheduled to air at 6:15 this evening.